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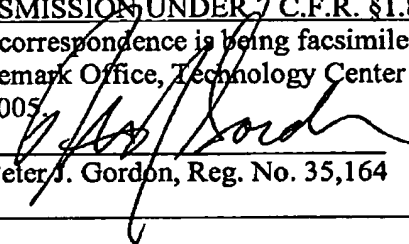
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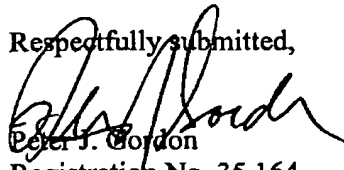
In reply to the Final Office Action mailed on August 23, 2004, Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the final rejection of claims 1-11. Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.17(b), the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is \$500.00.

Applicant hereby petitions for a **three-month extension of time** to file this Notice. Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(3), the fee for this petition is \$1020.00.

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